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MATE STOP NEW PATENT APPLICATION

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

NEW APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of Inventor: John Edward O'Neill

Title:

BOARD GAME AND METHOD OF PLAYING THEREOF

CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 CFR § 1.10

I hereby certify that this New Application and the documents referred to as enclosed herein are being deposited with the United States Postal Service on this date, <u>April 9, 2004</u>, in an envelope bearing "Express Mail Post Office To Addressee" Mailing Label Number <u>EL967843864US</u> addressed to: <u>PATENT APPLICATION</u>, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

Juan Rascon (Name of Person Mailing Paper) Enclosed are: 1. The papers required for filing date under CFR § 1.53(b): 30 Pages of Specification (including claims); 13 Sheet(s) of Drawings. Formal X Informal 2. 3. 4. Declaration or Oath (combined with the Power of Attorney) Power of Attorney (combined with the Declaration) Assignment of the Invention to (including Form PTO-1595). 5. Fee Calculation Amendment changing number of claims or deleting multiple dependencies is enclosed.

CLAIMS AS FILED

| | Number Filed | Number Extra | Rate | Basic Fee |
|--------------------|------------------------|--------------|---------|-----------|
| | | | | \$770.00 |
| Total Claims | 32 - 20 = | 12 | \$18.00 | 216.00 |
| Independent Claims | 5 - 3 = | 2 | \$86.00 | 172.00 |
| Multiple I | \$290.00 | | | |
| | Filing Fee Calculation | \$1,158.00 | | |

| | | | | | 410.00 | 210.00 | | |
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| Independent Claims | | ms | 5 - 3 = | 2 | \$86.00 | 172.00 | | |
| | | Multiple De | ependent claim(s), if any | | \$290.00 | _ | | |
| | | | | | Filing Fee Calculation | \$1,158.00 | | |
| 6. | <u>X</u> | Applicants are entitled to small entity status | | | | | | |
| | | | | 50% Filir | ng Fee Reduction (if applicable) | \$579.00 | | |
| 7. | Other Fe | ees | | | | | | |
| | _ | Assignment | t Recordation Fee | | | | | |
| | _ | Other | , | | | 0.00 | | |
| | | | | • | TOTAL FEES ENCLOSED | \$579.00 | | |
| 8. | Payment | t of Fees | | | | | | |
| | <u>X</u> | Check in th | ne amount of \$579.00 enclosed. | | | | | |
| 9. | _X_ | Authorization to Charge Additional Fees | | | | | | |
| | | The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees (or credit any overpayment) associated with this communication and which may be required under 37 CFR § 1.16 or § 1.17 to Account No. <u>08-1275</u> . An originally executed duplicate of this transmittal is enclosed for this purpose. | | | | | | |
| 10. | _ | Information | Disclosure Statement | | | | | |
| 11. | <u>X</u> | Return Rec | eipt Postcard | | $anl \leftarrow$ | | | |
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